

## CHEAP AT \$1,000

Mining Man Says He Gained  
Nine Pounds.

Thought He Had Consumption,  
Looked Like a Skeleton.

## SUFFERED EIGHT YEARS

States He Used Most Every  
Kind of Medicine.

Tanlac Was the Only One That  
Brought Relief.

Scores of statements of a decidedly interesting character are now being made in connection with the introduction of Tanlac, the new medicine that is accomplishing such astonishing results in Joplin and vicinity. Art Mitchell, a well known attache of the American-Davis mines who lives at 1733 West C street, Joplin, said recently:

"If I had paid a thousand dollars for Tanlac medicine would have been worth that much to me."

"I was working in the White Eagle mine at Sunny Side, Oklahoma, for eight years ago, when I noticed that my health was failing me. I was examined soon afterward and I was told that I had contracted catarrh and mineral poisoning, although I thought myself I had consumption."

"My eyes became affected, and I thought for a while, that my right eye, which pained me and was continually swollen, would pop out of my head. The pains in the back of my head, at the base of my brain, were terrible. My head was full all the time, and I coughed up mucus matter without let up day or night."

"My digestion became bad, and I couldn't eat anything, never having any appetite for breakfast, but was always sick at my stomach in the morning after a half sleepless night. I took many kinds of medicine, but my condition grew constantly worse. I lost weight and strength rapidly until I was almost a living skeleton."

"I recently saw where this new Tanlac was highly recommended, and I decided to try that medicine, although I felt that there were little prospects of anything helping me any more. Tanlac, however, certainly did prove a wonderful remedy for me. I hadn't taken more than one bottle of the medicine before my head cleared and the pains left me. They haven't come back neither, and I don't believe they will come back any more. My appetite is now so good that I eat almost everything that is placed before me. I eat foods now that I formerly could not digest, nor cared for. I have just eaten a big steak and I could do it over again."

"The most remarkable thing of all is the way I have gained in weight since taking Tanlac. When I began with the medicine I weighed only 138 pounds, I now weigh 147 pounds, or a gain of 9 pounds in ten days. I am stronger than I have been in many years, and take a real interest in my work. I sleep like a log at nights. I consider this Tanlac the most wonderful medicine I have ever used or have ever seen."

In this connection, W. C. Pope, who is directing the distribution of the celebrated Tanlac, referred to by Mr. Mitchell, through the Tully-McFarland Drug Store (Successors to Matt Weightman), Ninth and Kansas avenue, said:

"Neglected coughs and colds result in catarrh and lung troubles. For hard colds, asthma and catarrh Tanlac, in my opinion, is the best and most satisfactory preparation known. Not only does Tanlac seem to relieve that hacking cough, remove the catarrhal secretions and allay the lung pain, but it is blood-improving, appetite-giving, food-assimilating, nerve-quieting, strengthening and upbuilding."

"I believe that Tanlac will convince anyone who tries it that it is the most helpful and the most rational method of treating catarrh and its distressing consequences."

Tanlac can be had for \$1.00 per bottle, three for \$2.75 or six bottles for \$5.00. Mail orders promptly filled.

## BENTON IN TOWN

Praises State Fair Exhibits and  
Free Entrance.

The Sixth District an Empire—  
Some Politics.

Otis L. Benton is visiting in Topeka for a day or two with his son and daughter, who are attending Washburn college.

Mr. Benton is a good friend of Topeka; a graduate himself of Washburn he has sent two sons here to college; he was for many years a director and still a promoter of our great state fair, giving from his personal pocket premiums to encourage Decatur county exhibits here. He was immensely pleased at this year's fair. The free gate is great. It has beaten the weather and brought you record breaking crowds to a wonderful display of cattle and horses and Kansas products. The Sixth district is proud of this fair.

Mr. Benton is naturally very happy over the fine crops that have been raised in his part of the state this season. One reason there has been too much rain in some parts of the district which has caused considerable damage, especially to wheat, but the corn and sorghum crops are immense and will probably be one of the greatest in the history of northwest Kansas.

Mr. Benton said that he had been so busy helping harvest the big wheat crop and visiting over the Sixth congressional district, that he had not been in Topeka for several months. Speaking of his trip over the district, Mr. Benton said: "I have been getting acquainted with my youngest son this summer, as he has been my driver in going over the Sixth congressional district. One reason for making this preliminary campaign so early was so that Harwood, my son, could be with me and go clear around before he had returned to Washburn college here. Do you know that I believe parents should get acquainted with their own children?"

If fathers and mothers would visit more with their sons and daughters; try to remain young and see the difficult problems that the younger people have to solve; command their friendship and confidence, and have a mutual understanding all the time, it would go a long way toward solving the troublesome 'child problem.' I have enjoyed the summer, studying geography and shaking hands and meeting face to face the best people under the shining sun. Why, do you know that the Sixth congressional district has as many square miles as Belgium?"

The Sixth District Empire. "It is an empire, and every foot of its vast domain is valuable and the possibilities of development in northwestern Kansas are something wonderful. St. Francis, in Cheyenne country, should have a great sugar beet factory. The northwest county could have a great sugar beet factory and a town of four or five thousand people could be built up there if the great sugar beet industry was properly encouraged by federal laws. There are thousands of acres of splendid land along our rivers especially adapted for the cultivation of sugar beets. If this industry could have the fostering benefit of a reasonable protective tariff. Practically every county seat town in this vast domain, and the tributary territory, could be greatly improved and developed if common sense methods are pursued in the enactment of laws to foster and to assist our people."

When asked how his campaign for congress was progressing, broad smile came over his face and he replied: "I have visited the twenty-two counties of this district and every city and hamlet in it, besides many of the outlying neighborhoods, and the trip has been doubly pleasant and enjoyable this summer because everywhere I have gone I have received the most positive assurances from farmers, cattlemen and business men who say that I will receive their earnest support in the campaign of 1916."

"The time has arrived in the history of the Sixth congressional district where the people want a business man in Washington; a man who has helped solve the problems of this new and undeveloped country; a man who has faced the hot winds; a man who has taken his place on the night herd in the cattle round-up; a man who

has been obliged by stern necessity and adversity to meet serious financial problems, not only for himself, but for hundreds of others. Such a man in my opinion will know how by years of actual experience to assist in the making of laws that would be of benefit to all the people and for the entire country."

On prohibition, Mr. Benton said: "I was a student at Washburn college when St. John was elected governor of Kansas, and when the first prohibition amendment was passed. As a boy at school, we discussed prohibition, high license and open saloons. I have always taken the side of prohibition, and believed in it and have favored it from boyhood days."

Sons in Saloonless Towns. "It has been a pleasure for me to raise my boys in a town without saloons and in a county where the jails and poor farm are uninhabited. After a trial of thirty years in Kansas, prohibition has more friends than ever. I notice that Mr. Bryan recently said that it is not time for the Democratic party to resolve in favor of prohibition. He is talking just like the Democratic party of Kansas has always talked. I want to say to you that every law, save one, on the statute books of Kansas is in favor of prohibition. The great state of Kansas is blessed with the strongest and best prohibitory law in the Union. Also, I am in favor of national prohibition, and will use every influence at my command to have every state in this great Union enjoy the same blessings that Kansas enjoys so that the younger generation of men and women all over our fair land may grow to manhood and womanhood without the debasing influence of the saloons."

The newspaper boys over the Sixth congressional district have been very kind to me. The farmers, bankers and business men generally are giving me the warmest possible support, and I do not think there is any question about my nomination, nor any doubt of the entire success of the Republican party in the coming campaign."

## FAITH IN KANSAS

Kansas Gas and Electric Will  
Spend \$1,800,000.

Company Plans to Increase  
Capitalization That Amount.

The Kansas Gas and Electric company plans to spend \$1,800,000 in Kansas, according to a statement filed with J. T. Borkin, secretary of state. The company is planning an increase of its capitalization from \$4,700,000 to \$6,500,000 and will spend all of the increase in Kansas.

It has been reported that the corporation will soon make application for a stock increase permit to the public utilities commission and will then reveal the nature of its plans. Reports in Topeka are to the effect that the Wichita-Newton-Hutchinson electric lines are to be extended and that extensions are to be made in the Pittsburg-Joplin district, which will require improvements by the electric company. Recently it was claimed that the Wichita-Newton line would be extended north. A permit to the Newton & Northern Kansas Railway and Electric company to sell stock was granted this week by the utilities commission. Whether the building of this road will affect the affairs of the electric company is not known in state departments.

The Kansas Gas and Electric company supplies the electric light and power for Wichita city, as well as power for the Wichita-Newton electric line. It also supplies gas for Pittsburg and power for the Pittsburg-Cherokee-Frontenac line. An immediate increase of \$300,000 in stock for use at this time is proposed by the company, with an additional issue of \$1,500,000 to follow.

Schulz Consul at Berne. Washington, Sept. 18.—Walter H. Schulz, Oklahoma City, consul at Nantes, has been transferred to Berne. This was announced today.

First Tramp—"You seem very 'appy abahit I wot's up?" Second Tramp (reading Mr. Asquith's Guildhall speech): "Ere's me bin roin' wivout luxuries all this time, an' I've only jus' found out that I've bin 'elpin' the country to win this war."—Punch.

## VOTES \$1 APIECE

"Putting It Over" Is "All Right"  
With Bell.

Confessed Election Crook Hand  
in Glove With Mayor.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 18.—Ernest Roeder, who recently pleaded guilty to election conspiracy indictment on which Mayor Joseph E. Bell is being tried today told of his activities on primary and election days. The witness, who was election clerk at the primary, admitted he gave Edward Lyons, Joseph Markey and other so-called state candidates, votes without counting the ballots; that he bought votes, and voted persons illegally at the election.

Roeder said he was chosen at the suggestion of Dennis Bush, co-defendant, and Commissioner James H. (Bud) Gibson, who has pleaded guilty. The witness said he worked with Gibson on election day and bought a number of votes with money given him by Gibson.

"I tried to buy votes for \$1, but

sometimes had to pay \$2," the witness said.

Roeder said he saw Mayor Bell at the polls on election day.

"Bell asked me how we were getting along," said Roeder.

"I told him all right—we were putting things over. The mayor said 'all right'."

Roeder then told how he was permitted to go in and vote ahead of a line of fifty or more voters.

The witness was then cross-examined closely about the saloons.

He denied that he had discussed his testimony with any one other than his wife. He also denied that he had been made any promises in regard to his testimony.

It was brought out on cross-examination that Roeder had appeared before the Marion county grand jury.

"Were you asked if you saw any vote buying on election day, and did you answer 'No'?"

"You perjured yourself?"

"Yes."

Gasoline Plant Explodes; 1 Dead.

Toledo, Ohio, Sept. 18.—One man was killed and heavy property loss was sustained this morning when two cars of gasoline exploded at the plant of the Hickok Producing company, manufacturer of gasoline. The victim of the explosion is M. Markel, employee of the plant.

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## THE PASSING OF THE "OKLAHOMA OUTLAWS"

From the Doolin-Dalton to Starr Gang—The Terrors of Early Oklahoma

Supremacy of law and order is the great principle laid down in this picture, which proves its contention, by revealing an actual and perfect reproduction of personal scenes and incidents, the victory of law. The Passing of the Oklahoma Outlaw was produced in this state. The following: United States Marshal E. D. Nix, and associate marshals, Bill Tilgman, Bud Ledbetter, Cris Madson and John Hale appears in person in this picture. Tom Jones, alias "Arkansas Tom," the only living survivor of the Doolin-Dalton gang, appears in person. Many of the locations are identical with those recorded on the pages of the state's history.

HEAR U. S. MARSHAL—BILL TILGMAN Himself—Explains His Reasons, for the Filming of These Events




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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans .....	\$2,249,194.34	Capital .....	\$310,000.00
	19,329.90	Surplus and	
Bonds .....	157,823.67	Profit .....	240,708.52
Cash and exchange....	851,950.72	Deposits .....	2,727,590.11
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